

This document contains instructions to replicate the tables and figures in the paper:

**Parent Training and Child Development at Low Cost?
Evidence from a Randomized Field Experiment in Mexico**

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Section 1. List of tables in the paper and what files show the results therein

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Table 2: Balance across ASQ & Observed Characteristics	Table 2. Baseline Balance.xls The rows marked “Treatment”, “Constant”, “P-value”, and “Observation” in the Excel contain the values for the first to fourth columns of the table in the paper, respectively.
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Figure 1: Caregiver attendance at meetings— baseline, first year, and second year	Figure 1 is constructed in the file “Figures.xlsx” from a series of tabulations shown in the Log file, after the header marked “*****Figure 1...” (see page 19 of the generated Log file).
Figure 2. Coefficients from the main outcome indices	Figure 2 is constructed in in the file “Figures.xlsx” from the treatment effects in Tables 5 to 8.

Note: Except for Table 1, all tables are generated as an XLS file saved in the folder marked “Tables.”

Section 2. Notes on system requirements

1. This analysis was carried out using Stata version 16.1. The do-files in this replication package are set to interpret commands at the level of Stata version 16.1.
2. The user may need to download certain ado files in Stata to implement the replication.

Section 3. Instructions to run the replication packet

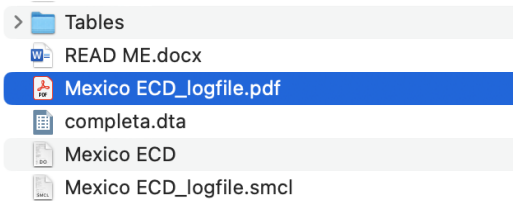
1. The replication packet contains:
 - a. The file where the figures are created named “Figures.xlsx”
 - b. This file named “READ ME”
 - c. The input file named “complete.dta”
 - d. And the Do file named “Mexico ECD.do”























































2. Update line 20 of the “00 Master.do” to the file directory where the replication packet is located in your drive.

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13
14 /*****
15 00. Housekeeping
16 *****/
17
18 clear
19 set more off
20 cd "<INSERT FILE PATH HERE>"
21
22 capture: ssc install tabcount
23 capture: ssc install swindex
24 capture: ssc install icw_index
25 capture: ssc install estout
26 capture: ssc install esttab
27 capture: ssc instell outreg2
28
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3. Generate an empty folder named “Tables.”
4. Run the “Mexico ECD.do” file.
5. After a successful run of the Do file, a Log file should be generated and saved in the main folder.



6. Tables are generated and saved in the folder named “Tables” over the course of the analysis. After a successful run of the Do file, the folder should contain the tables described in Section 1.

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